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Mikko Sievanen et al.

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W. PierceApplicant hereby appeals to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the decision of the examiner dated, June 18, 2003, rejecting the following claims: 11-22 and 24-27.

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